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Applicants:	Terry B. Strom and Xin Xiao Zheng		
Serial No.:	09/576,944	Group Art Unit: 1644	
Filed:	May 22, 2000	Examiner:	P. Gambale
Confirmation No.:	2729		
For:	COMPOSITIONS AND KITS FOR TRANSPLANT TOLERANCE (As Amended)		

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Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Appeals from the decision dated July 3, 2002 of the Primary Examiner finally rejecting claims 11-14 and 22-27. The item checked below is appropriate:

1. ☒ Applicant hereby petitions to extend the time for filing a Notice of Appeal in response to the Office Action Made Final dated July 3, 2002 for 3 months from October 3, 2002 to January 3, 2003.
2. ☐ A month extension of time to respond to the Office Action Made Final dated was filed on with payment of a \$ fee.
☐ Applicant hereby petitions for an additional month extension of time to respond to the Office Action Made Final.
3. ☐ A Request for Oral Hearing before the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences is being filed concurrently herewith.

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4. Fees are submitted for the following:

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	Fee for Extension	(<input type="checkbox"/> mo.)	\$	<u> </u>
	Less fee paid	(<input type="checkbox"/> mo.)	- \$	<u> </u>
	Balance of fee due		\$	<u>0</u>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Notice of Appeal		\$	<u>320</u>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Other <u>Extra Claims Fee</u>		\$	<u>168</u>
			TOTAL	<u><u>\$ 1408</u></u>

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☒ A check in the amount of \$1408.00 is enclosed.

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Respectfully submitted,

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